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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 TIMOTHY KUNCL and KATRINA KUNCL,
11 Individually and as Husband and Wife; R.K,
12 K.K., S.K. and A.K., minor children,

13 Plaintiffs,

14 v.

15 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; and
16 UNKNOWN JOHN DOES AND JOHN DOE
17 CLINICS,

Defendants.

Case No. C16-337RSM

ORDER DENYING DEFENDANT'S
MOTION FOR A CONTINUANCE AND
GRANTING STIPULATION

18 This matter comes before the Court on Defendant United States of America's Motion
19 for a Continuance, Dkt. #20, and the Agreed Stipulation and Order Regarding Trial, Dkt. #21.
20 The Court has reviewed the briefing of the parties and finds that good cause has not been
21 established by the Government for a 60-day extension of the trial date and related deadlines.
22 The Government has submitted no real evidence to support a good cause finding, arguing
23 without citation that "[s]ettlement by the United States involves input and scrutiny at several
24 levels, and more time is needed for that process to proceed." Dkt. #20 at 2.
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However, pursuant to the Stipulation above, the Court finds good cause for a 30-day extension. Accordingly, the Court hereby finds and ORDERS that:

1) Defendant's Motion to Continue (Dkt. #20) is DENIED.

2) The Agreed Stipulation and Order Regarding Trial (Dkt. #21) is GRANTED. The trial date and all pre-trial deadlines in this matter shall be extended. The Court's **next available trial date is November 20, 2017.** The Court will issue a revised scheduling order consistent with this trial date.

DATED this 11th day of September, 2017.

W. L. S.

RICARDO S. MARTINEZ
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE